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August 22, 2005

Mr. Leslie T. Rogers
Regional Administrator
Federal Transit Administration
201 Mission Street, Suite 2210
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Attention: Mr. Ray Sukys

Dear Mr. Sukys:

With this letter, I am transmitting the following amendment to California's 2004/05-2006/07 Federal Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (FSTIP) for your approval. This amendment includes programming modifications to the rural, non-Metropolitan Planning Organization, portion of the State and applies specifically to any or all of the twenty-one rural air quality attainment counties.

<u>No.</u>	Description
11	Transit Element
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Federal Transit Administration (FTA) – Section 5309 Program: Modifies funding for this lump sum project to include Fiscal Year (FY) 2005 earmark grant for the Mendocino Transit Authority. The amendment programs an additional \$300,000 in federal funds in FY 2004/05. See enclosure.

The updated programming is for projects in air quality attainment areas that are exempt from the conformity determination requirement. The financial impacts of this amendment are compatible with anticipated revenues in the FSTIP Financial Plan and do not significantly affect the overall financial analysis. This project is included and submitted by Caltrans through the California Transportation Improvement Program System (CTIPS).

Please address any questions on this FSTIP approval request to Abhijit Bagde of my staff at (916) 654-3638.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ross A. Chittenden", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

ROSS A. CHITTENDEN
Chief
Division of Transportation Programming

Enclosure

c: Bruce Richard – Mendocino Transit Authority (w/enclosure)
Rachel Falsetti - Caltrans
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